In re Application of: Shashoua, Victor E. Art Unit: Serial No .: (not yet assigned) Examiner: concurrently herewith Filed: COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR

Entitled: COUNTERACTING EFFECTS OF

REACTIVE OXYGEN SPECIES AND FREE

**RADICALS** 

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## VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 C.F.R. 1.9(f) AND 1.27(c)) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

I hereby declare that I am:

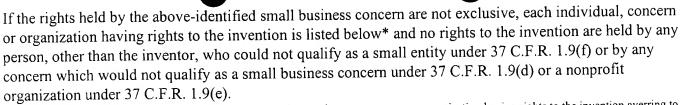
- The owner of the small business concern identified below:
- An official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern [X]identified below:

NAME OF CONCERN	Ceremedix, Inc.
	Mailman Research Center, McLean Hospital, 115 Mill Street
ADDRESS OF CONCERN_	
	Belmont, Massachusetts 02478

I hereby declare that the above-identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 C.F.R. 121.1301-1305, and reproduced in 37 C.F.R. 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that all rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention of inventor(s) Victor E. Shashoua, as described in:

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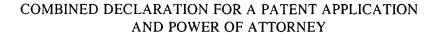
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DATE 11/15/2000



As the below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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I hereby claim the benefit un critle 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of the United States provisional application(s) listed below:

<u>60/166,381</u> <u>November 18, 1999</u> (Number) (Day/Month/Year filed)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States Patent application(s), or under § 365(c) of any PCT international applications designating the United States listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or international application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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